

IN THE  
FRONT ROW

## HEADLINERS TONIGHT.

Musical Comedy.  
Hippodrome.....Cheer-Up Girls  
Photoplays.  
Dixie.....The Ruler of the Road  
Nelson.....North of Fifty-Three  
Princess.....The Winning of Beatrice

It was a worthy tribute Provost Marshal General Crowder paid the motion picture industry when he listed that business among the essential industries under his "work or fight" rule. Adolph Zukor, of the Famous Players-Lasky corporation, took occasion Monday to thank him for his attitude, and said the screen would vindicate the judgment of the Provost Marshal General. Continuing, he said, "The motion picture industry is already on a war basis. In making our plans at the present time for the season of 1918-19, we are deciding to produce only plays of a cheerful nature, because we believe it to be a patriotic duty that devolves at this time particularly upon the screen to bring comfort and courage to the heart of America. But the screen is doing an even more important work. It is interpreting the ideals and aims of American democracy to the rest of the world, and in order to aid the government in this direction to our fullest ability, we have decided to select only such subjects for production as will indicate to the peoples of foreign nations the qualities and spiritual texture which have been developed in American manhood and womanhood by the institutions which we are now striving to preserve.

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## Musical Specialties Featured.

Most of us have had a glimpse of the Cheer-Up Girls, and are already looking forward to the new company, Mary Brown's Tropical Maids for the last week's entertainment of the present season. Photos adorning the entrance of the Hippodrome give a good impression of the new-comers both as to number and looks. Sun time managers have spoken favorably of the organization, and we are expecting good things of them. A good musical act is something not seen at the Hipp for some moons, and Walker Cozy are said to bring a very entertaining specialty in which a number of brass instruments as well as novelties are introduced. Mary Brown is the prima donna, Musical Walker, comedian, and Annabel Collins ballad singer. The chorus is capably taken care of, and on the whole lovers of musical comedy ought to find the Hipp a good place to spend their evenings next week.

## Princess Repeats

Entertaining Photoplay.  
"The Winning of Beatrice," the five-act Metro offering seen at the Princess, repeats today.

## Nelson Showing a Farnum Story.

Life in the great Northwest is depicted in the five reel Fox drama at the Nelson today. Dustin Farnum is a favorite star, and is seen to advantage in this production.

## Iowa Star at Dixie.

Frank Keenan, who has the leading part in "The Ruler of the Road" seen at the Dixie today, is an Iowa boy who has been in the theatrical business all his life. He has had an extended experience in stock, and has been associated with some of the best legitimate players on the stage in such plays as "Oliver Twist," "Shore Acres" and "The Christian." Naturally his appearance in a photoplay is a guarantee of its excellence, and the Dixie will no doubt feel the effects of the past achievements of Mr. Keenan.

## "CLOSE UPS"

—Bob Fisher, formerly of the vaudeville team of Fisher and Gordon, and now in the navy, has been singing at benefit performances for naval relief which have been given at the Moulin Rouge.—Photoplay.

—We knew all the good dancers were jealous of Bob Fisher of the Hippodrome and we thought that he had also broken into harmony until we noticed that the Bob Fisher mentioned was in the navy.

—Carlyle Blackwell who is co-starred with Evelyn Greeley in "The Road to France," a World Picture to be released in September, has no appetite for the job of riveter at the ship yards. A number of the scenes in this picture were made in the plants of the Federal Ship Yards near Newark, New Jersey. Blackwell put in one day riveting. The result was a smashed finger, a pneumatic hammer put out of commission, and fifteen rivets for the day's work.—POP.

The demand of the New York Musicians' union for higher wages has been rejected.

AUTOS COLLIDED  
HERE IN DENSE FOGMachines Crash Into Each  
Other on the Country  
Club Road.

Two automobiles driven by Harry Heintzelman and Paul Fleming, of this city, collided in a dense fog along the Country Club road last night at 11 o'clock and were badly wrecked. Fortunately neither of the young men or any of the other occupants were injured.

The accident happened at a point on the Country Club road close to Edgemont. The cars were going in opposite directions. From the accounts told of the accident it is almost remarkable that some one was not killed outright or very seriously injured. After the collision the Stutz car driven by Fleming was whirled around twice in its own tracks and the Hudson car driven by Heintzelman ran 200 yards or more and the axle tore a small gap in the macadam road for that distance.

Both cars were demolished. The Stutz car had both wheels knocked off. The Hudson car had one of its front wheels broken off. The Stutz car is reported to have belonged to a Pittsburgh friend of Fleming's.

WM EUBANKS DIES;  
WAS ILL 3 WEEKSWell Known Colored Man  
Had Respect of Entire  
Community.

William Eubanks, aged 56, a well known colored man of this city, died at his home in Robinson street yesterday evening after an illness of three weeks with a complication of diseases. Eubanks had been janitor for the Hutchinson Coal company for a period of ten years and was until recently janitor of the First Baptist church. He was an industrious, self respecting and upright citizen and held the respect of the people of this community. He was a charter member of Marion Lodge No. 40, K. of P. He is survived by his wife and one son, William Eubanks, Jr. A sister in New York and a brother in Boston also survive him.

The funeral will take place on Monday afternoon at three o'clock from the Baptist church of which the deceased was a member. Marion Lodge No. 40, K. of P., will assist with the services which will be conducted by Rev. Wm. Toney, of Parkersburg, and Rev. E. P. Tunney and the Rev. W. J. Eddy, of this city. Undertaker Musgrave has charge of the interment.

## Reception at Watson.

Miss Gail Rittenhouse entertained a number of friends at a reception on Thursday evening in honor of Mr. Alvin Hanna, of Des Moines, Iowa, who is spending a week at her home. A very pleasant evening was passed. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Rittenhouse, Paul Bennett, Herbert Lavelly, Robert Meredith, Brenfort Rottenhouse, Harry Vincent, Kenneth Jackson, Edwin Rittenhouse, Leslie Floyd, Mildred Rittenhouse, Anna Gell, Mary Mann, Nora Donlin, Willis Rittenhouse, Mary Morris, Virginia Morris, Madeline Rittenhouse, Katherine Rittenhouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gaston, of High street, are spending the week end with friends near Weston.

Miss Ethel and Eleanor Duxett left for Clarksburg this morning to be the house guests of Mrs. Harold Sayre.—Morgantown Dominion.

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## LOCAL SOCIAL EVENTS

## Marriage Announced.

Announcement has been made of the marriage of W. Foss Curtis, son of Rev. and Mrs. A. J. S. Curtis, of Barrackville, and Miss Eva Kathlyn Meredith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Meredith, of Moundsville, which took place at the home of the bride on Wednesday evening of this week. Rev. G. D. Smith, of Moundsville, formerly of this city, performed the ceremony. Mr. Curtis was employed in the chemical department of the Potomac Glass company at Moundsville previous to enlistment in the U. S. coast artillery. He has completed the coast artillery training course at Fort Monroe, Va., and is subject to a call for over seas service.

## Handicap Tournament.

A handicap tournament will be played on the Country club golf links this afternoon and quite a number of local women will participate in the playing. The proceeds will go to the Red Cross.

## Country Fair.

Approximately one thousand persons attended the county fair and festival held last night at Barrackville by the Red Cross Auxiliary as a benefit for that organization. Hundreds of persons went to Barrackville from Fairmont many going in automobiles, while the street cars also carried their quota of the visitors. The attractive feature of the fair was the sale of fresh vegetables such as corn, beans, beets, potatoes, radishes, lettuce, parsley, white butter, eggs, fresh butter, milk, cottage cheese, etc., came in for their share of patronage.

Ice cream, pie and watermelon stands were maintained and were liberally patronized. An old fashioned cake walk proved to be an entertaining feature of the fair.

Sergeant Manchell, aged 16, the youngest sergeant in the Canadian army, delivered a splendid talk to the crowd. Manchell was introduced by Albert J. Kern, chairman of the Marion County Four Minute Men. Attorney Harry Shaw, of this city, also made a splendid patriotic address.

## At Summer Camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul W. Lange are occupying their summer cottage, Bidea Wee, on the Tygart's Valley river and will spend the remainder of the month of July and all of August there. They will have as their guests for the next few days Mr. and Mrs. Earl Spraker and Mr. and Mrs. Dave J. Carter, of Clarksburg.

## Returned Home.

Mrs. S. J. Walther has returned to her home at Monar, Pa., after a visit of several weeks with her daughter Mrs. Kridler Rock, on Prospect avenue.

## To Arrive Here Next Week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Snow and little son, McLeister, of Tuscaloosa, Ala., will arrive here early next week for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Smith on Madison street. Mr. Snow after spending a few days here will go to Boston where he has enlisted in the coast aviation department of the U. S. government. Mrs. Snow and son will remain here for the remainder of the summer and will be joined here about the first of August by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Nuzum, of Tuscaloosa.

## To Reside in Denver.

Mrs. Flora B. Hunt and daughter, Miss Ella M. Hunt, will leave next Wednesday for points in North Dakota, where they will visit relatives. They will then go to Denver, Col., where they will reside. Mrs. Hunt and daughter have been residents of this city for several years.

## A Farewell Social.

A very pleasant social event was given at the home of Mrs. Laura Jones on Mill Fall Run Friday evening in the way of a birthday anniversary and farewell for her son, Glen, who leaves for camp next week in answer to his country's call. At an early hour the guests began to arrive, and the house and lawn were soon crowded with young and old, indicating the high esteem in which Glen is held in his community. Music and social games were enjoyed during the evening and refreshments were served, consisting of ice cream, cake and coffee.

## Among Those Present were the

following: Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Smith Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis, Mr. and Mrs. John Vincent, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Downs, Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Downs, Mrs. Mag Morgan, Mrs. Lillie Morgan, Mrs. Levi, Misses Blake and Blanch Jones, of Fairmont; Miss Bessie Jones, Miss Madge Jones, Misses Grace Hamilton, Myrtle Morgan, Jenness, Norma and Georgia Downs, Bessie, Ada and Hazel Bowman, Pearl Toothman, Sylvia and Mary Brand, Roxy and Fairy Downs, Maxine Jones, Eleanor Downs, Goldie Davis, Bertha Vincent, Pearl Downs, Wilma and Margaret Jones, Henry Davis, Glen Gillingham, Walter Downs, Hugh Downs, Linn Bowman, Earl Haight, Jack Morgan.

## PERSONALS

Mrs. Charles Edwin Reed left last night for a visit of several weeks to Wilmington, Del., and New York.

Mrs. David Reger and little daughter, Miss Helen, of Morgantown, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Beckman at their home in Fairmont avenue. Mr. Reger will spend the week end here.

A son was born Thursday of this week to Mr. and Mrs. James Bartholow at their home in Maple avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Husted and the latter's mother, Mrs. Martha Scranee, left yesterday for a motor trip which will include a visit to Camp Lee at Petersburg, Va., where Mrs. Scranee's son, William, is in training for the U. S. army.

Mrs. Harold Ivanhoe Arnett, nee Currey, has returned to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Currey, after spending several weeks with Lieutenant Arnett at Camp Lee, Virginia. Lieutenant Arnett has been transferred to Camp Funston, Kansas.

Miss Edith and Isabel, and Mr. and Mrs. E. Deitz and daughters, Misses Elizabeth and Gertrude, are occupying a cottage at Atlantic City for the summer.

Mrs. B. F. Conley and children, of Akron, Ohio, who had been the guests of relatives in this city and at Fairview, went to Clarksburg today to visit relatives before returning home.

Mrs. Carter S. Fleming left last evening for Chattanooga, Tenn., where she will join Dr. Fleming, who is stationed at Camp Greenleaf at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., in the Medical reserve of the U. S. army. Dr. Fleming will meet her in Chattanooga. She will spend several weeks there.

Mrs. E. P. Smith is quite ill at her home in Barrackville.

W. T. McWhorter and sister, Mrs. Harvey Shain, will go to Buckhannon where they will visit relatives. Mr. McWhorter will return here Sunday, but Mrs. Shain will remain in Buckhannon for some time.

Miss Adelaide Pinnell will go to her home in Grafton this evening, where she will spend several weeks. Mr. Thomas Seamon, Jr., a son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Seamon, of Uniontown, Pa., and a nephew of Harry P. Smith, of this city, was aboard the supply ship Westover which was sunk July 11. His name was not given as among the missing and it is believed he was rescued.

Have Your Remembrances  
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Kline

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Galli-Curci

Hebrew Melody (Violin)

Jasha-Heifetz

Symphony in F Minor

Boston Symphony Orchestra

WASHINGTON NEWS  
GOSSIP

By CHARLES BROOKS SMITH.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 20.—On August 14 at Wellsburg an examination will be held to fill the position of postmaster at Follansbee. The office pays \$2,000 a year.

C. E. Scott, of Wellsburg, is in the city, and is receiving the influential help of Senator Sutherland to get into the Naval Coast Defense Reserve as the preliminary step to working himself into the aviation branch of the military service.

Joseph Markey, of Parkersburg, was a sad and disappointed young man who called on Congressman Woodyard yesterday. He was on his way home after failing in the physical test for the Naval Academy because of color blindness, and specialists who he had consulted about it gave him no hope of curing the defect. Young Markey had passed his mental examination for Annapolis with high averages, after preparing himself at a special preparatory school for cadet appointees. The young man was appointed upon recommendation of Congressman Woodyard and the latter feels pretty badly over the unfortunate turn in the affairs of his young friend and protégé.

The Pension Bureau has sent notice to Senator Sutherland that an original pension, at the rate of \$25 a month from December, 1917, as well as accrued pension due her late husband, had been allowed Mrs. Amanda J. Hinean, of New Cumberland. At the same department, Senator Sutherland

today filed an application for a pension increase for Thos. M. Summers, of Hazlegreen, W. Va.

An application for a pension filed recently by Congressman Woodyard for and in behalf of Mrs. Eliza Backus, of Newark, has been granted at the rate of \$25 a month from December, 1917, and accumulated pension due her husband on the date of his death. Paul L. Summers, of Parkersburg.

who had been resting in Atlantic City after the big Elks herding there last week, stopped off in Washington on his way home to see Uncle Sam at work in his war workshop. Mr. Summers is a past exalted ruler of Parkersburg's lodge of Elks.

There are vacancies in the postmasterhips at Dry Branch and Frazer's Bottom, which will be filled, the post office department announced, upon recommendation of inspectors after a personal visit has been made to those two villages.

Mrs. Louise Laird, of Barrackville, whose claim for a pension was filed by Congressman Reed not long ago, has been awarded a pension of \$25 a month dating from April, 1917.

## At THE NELSON Today

## Dustin Farnum

Fox Favorite in

## North of Fifty-Three

A Story of the Northwest.

MONDAY

Tom Mix in "ACE HIGH"

## A Stitch In Time Saves Nine



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## Concerning Time

If you had to sit perfectly still for five minutes, with your eyes closed, you would probably imagine the time much longer. It is the same way at the telephone. While waiting for the operator or the person called to respond, you may think several minutes have gone by. But very seldom is this true; generally it is a matter of seconds. Forty seconds may sometimes seem like three minutes—but it's still forty seconds. Please try to be just as patient at the telephone as at, say, the grocer's counter.

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